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PRESIDENT: Is there an objection to the request for unanimous consent? Seeing none, it shall be done.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have two new bills. LB 786 introduced by....Senator Burrows asked to be excused until he arrives. Mr. President, Senator Keyes introduces LB 786. Read title. See page 233, Journal. LB 787 introduced by Senator Swigart. Read title. See page 233, Journal. That is all, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Any other bills for introduction?

CLERK: None.

PRESIDENT: We move to Select File, then, LB 204. Senator Keyes. For what purpose do you arise, Senator?

SENATOR KEYES: There, the mike is on. Now we will get straight. This bill that I introduced this morning is simply a bill that will extend the date for filing your property tax exemption for religious and nonprofit organizations. There were 51 or 52 in Douglas County that didn't file and what I want to do is have the bill come on the floor.

PRESIDENT: Senator, you are out of order. Turn him off. You can't speak on a bill that you have just introduced, Senator.

SENATOR KEYES: Can I speak to you just a moment. All I want to do is have the bill come on the floor without a hearing and to do that you would have to tell them what the bill does. If you find some other way to do so, you let me know, will you?

PRESIDENT: Then make a motion, then.

SENATOR KEYES: I make a motion that the bill come on the floor without a public hearing and you have heard before why I do this.

PRESIDENT: All right. Would you move to suspend an appropriate rule, Senator?

SENATOR KEYES: I will do anything.

PRESIDENT: We are not going to have argument or disposing of a bill just because you introduced it.

SENATOR KEYES: I move to suspend the appropriate rule.

PRESIDENT: You write that up. You write that up and then this body will discuss that.

SENATOR KEYES: I think it will be easier to meet with the Committee.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. President, for the moment, I object to his motion and I would like to ask some questions from